

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

KEVIN F. HUDOCK,

Plaintiff,

v.

WOODS HOLE OCEANOGRAPHIC
INSTITUTION,

Defendant.

Civil Action No. 04-CV-12117-GAO

**CERTIFICATION OF DEFENDANT
PURSUANT TO LOCAL RULE 16.1(D)**

Pursuant to Local Rule 16.1(D), Defendant Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution and its attorney hereby certify that they have conferred (1) with a view to establishing a budget for the costs of conducting the full course – and various alternative courses – of this litigation; and (2) to consider the resolution of this litigation through the use of alternative dispute resolution programs such as those outlined in LR 16.4.

**WOODS HOLE OCEANOGRAPHIC
INSTITUTION**

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